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Date: 12th December 2006

Dear Sirs/Madam;

I writing with relation to patent number PCT/GB03/01641 or US Application no. 10/511,461; it is apparent that I Steven Phillip Corcoran are registered as an inventor on the said patent/application; however, I must make you aware that I am the sole inventor of the product and can amply prove this fact.

Previously, I have been asked to sign a declaration with regards to the application moving into the US national filing stage; I was submitted a form that included the signature of a second party namely "Michal Charles Bartlett" [MCB].

Unfortunately, this has made signing the declaration I received impossible as if I signed the declaration with regards to the patent application in question, with the presence of the signature of the aforementioned MCB, I would have been effectively declaring that MCB was a co-inventor of the product held within the patent which is incorrect.

I designed the product within aforementioned patent and thus am responsible for any possible inventive steps associated or not with the patent to which this correspondence is concerned. I have therefore submitted the attached declaration stating that I, Steven Phillip Corcoran are the sole inventory for the product concerned within the patent ref. PCT/GB03/01641 or US application no. 10/511,461.

With this in mind, I have written and declared this to the US patent and trademark office and I have also copied the correspondence to the EU patent office, the WIPO patent office and the patent attorney that has been charged with processing the patent in the USA on behalf of the applicant; this correspondence is to allow notification that Michael Charles Bartlett should be removed as an inventor and replaced by Steven Phillip Corcoran as the sole inventor in the USA and any other relevant patent offices and or regions.

One would imagine that it is important that any rights to the product get transferred to Bartlett Engineering South Wales Limited from Steven Phillip Corcoran and especially with regards to US filing status to make sure that everything is in order; ethical and carried out with integrity.

Further to the assignment of rights it is advised that subsequent filed forms be referenced i.e. the copy of the form attached [page 3] were rights are given to Steven Phillip Corcoran by Bartlett Engineering; from the dates it is clear that no previous or subsequent bond bound either party at the time the agreement was signed; however, rights are reserved by Steven Phillip Corcoran to contest this and the percentages listed especially with regards to reclaiming any time inputs made by Steven Phillip Corcoran in dealing with this matter i.e. recuperation of costs or otherwise with relation to this patent.

Yours Sincerely

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Subject; Patent Ownership

I Mr. Mike. C. R. Bartlett (address)

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NEATH

on the 18th August '01, confirm that Mr. Steven Corcoran of 22 Great Close, Cawood, Nr Selby, North Yorkshire, YO8 3UG, owns 10% of all intellectual property relating to the product commonly known as 'A rotational union coupling' REF; drawings identical and similar to those included with this deed.

Steven Corcoran is therefore entitled to 10% of any royalties generated from the intellectual properties sale, licence or any other income generated by its use either by M. C. R. Bartlett or any other third party.

In the event of sale, licence or any other income generated by its use, Mr. Steven Corcoran reserves the right to inspect the financial records of Mr. Mike. C. R. Bartlett or any other third party connected to the sale licence or any other income stream associated with the 'rotational union coupling' (ref drawings included) to establish the true and proper financial return on his intellectual property share.

In the event of death of either party of this deed, the rights of the intellectual property will be as follows: -

Death Of Mr. Mike C.R. Bartlett; ownership of intellectual property (90%)

Mrs. S. Bartlett, Director of Bartlett Engineering (Address): -

MRS. S. BARTLETT, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Death Of Mr. Steven Phillip Corcoran; ownership of intellectual property (10%)

MR. P. CORCORAN OF 22 GREAT CLOSE, CAWOOD, NR SELBY
NORTH YORKSHIRE, YO8 3UG. AND FOR DISTRIBUTION BY
HIS DISCREETION TO FAMILY INCLUDING AND ONLY INCLUDING
MR. P. S. CORCORAN 56 YOTT HALL, NR. SELBY.

We the under signed confirm the above and the stipulation that both names (Mike C.R. Bartlett/Steven Corcoran) will be registered as patent owners, with both names appearing on the Patent relating to the rotational union coupling and all the drawings herein.

Mr. M. C. R. Bartlett

Mr. S. P. Corcoran

[Signature of Mr. M. C. R. Bartlett]
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[Signature of Mr. S. P. Corcoran]
18th AUGUST '01

Signature and date of both parties.

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